

During consideration of this bill today, the Senate took the following action:

By 54 yeas to 41 nays (Vote No. 34), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn not having voted in the affirmative, Senate failed to agree to close further debate on Jeffords Amendment No. 31, in the nature of a substitute.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill on Tuesday, March 9, 1999, with a vote on the second motion to close further debate on the Jeffords Amendment No. 31 (listed above) to occur at 4 p.m.

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**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Montie R. Deer, of Kansas, to be Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Commission for the term of three years.

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**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations: Julio M. Fuentes, of New Jersey, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit.

Robert A. Katzmman, of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit.

M. James Lorenz, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of California.

W. Allen Pepper, Jr., of Mississippi, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Mississippi.

Karen E. Schreier, of South Dakota, to be United States District Judge for the District of South Dakota.

Routine lists in the Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, Navy.

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**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—34) Page S2408

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 12 noon and adjourned at 6:59 p.m., until 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 9, 1999. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2435.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### DECEPTIVE MAILINGS

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations held hearings to examine the nature and impact of sweepstakes run by certain major companies, focusing on their increasingly deceptive and aggressive marketing techniques, receiving testimony from Maryland Attorney General J. Joseph Curran, Jr., Annapolis; Virginia L. Tierney, American Association of Retired Persons, Washington, D.C.; Eustace A. Hall, Brandon, Florida; Angela Hall, Tallahassee, Florida; Carol Gelinas, Bangor, Maine; Karol Carter, Troy, Michigan; Patti McElligott, Tyler, Texas; Stephanie Beukema, Cambridge, Massachusetts; and Charles Doolittle, Inverness, Florida.

Hearings continue tomorrow.